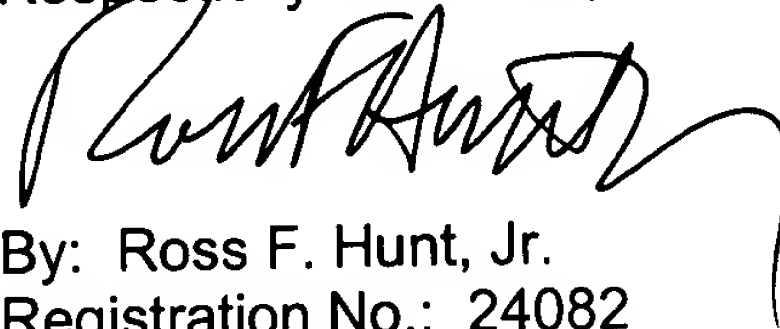


**REMARKS**

A RCE application is filed concurrently herewith. The claims have been amended to make it clear that the temperature sensor of the present invention is not mounted on the transformer core, and to thus further define over the references relied on in rejecting the prior claims. Also, a clerical error has been corrected in claim 16.

Further and favorable action is respectfully solicited.

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